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**Gloria M. Navarro**  
 District Judge

Began Service: May 25, 2010  
 Appointed By: President Barack Obama

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**Edward C. Reed, Jr.**  
 Senior Judge

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 Education: Nevada (Reno) 1949 BA; Harvard 1952 JD  
 Began Service: 1979  
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Corporate:** Attorney, Arthur Andersen & Co. (1952-1953)

**Government:** Special Deputy Attorney General, State of Nevada (1967-1979)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Reed & Bowen (1953-1979)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1943-1946)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; State Bar of Nevada

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**Lloyd D. George**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1930  
 Education: Brigham Young 1955 BS; Boalt Hall 1961 JD  
 Began Service: May 1984  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Judicial:** Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Nevada (1974-1984); Judge, Ninth Circuit Bankruptcy Appellate Panel (1984)

**Legal Practice:** Albright, George, Johnson & Steffen (1969-1971)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1955-1958)

**Current Memberships:** American Association for Justice; American Bar Association; Clark County Bar Association; State Bar of Nevada; Washoe County Bar Association

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**Howard D. McKibben**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1940  
 Education: Bradley 1962 BS; Pittsburgh 1964 MPA; Michigan 1967 JD  
 Began Service: October 12, 1984  
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Faculty, National Judicial College

**Government:** Deputy District Attorney, State of Nevada (1969-1971); District Attorney, State of Nevada (1971-1977)

**Judicial:** Judge, Nevada District Court (1977-1984); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Nevada (1997-2002)

**Legal Practice:** George W. Abbott Law Office (1967-1971)

**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court; Ninth Circuit District Judges Association

**Staff**

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**Lawrence R. Leavitt**  
 Magistrate Judge

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**Robert Jake Johnston**  
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
 Education: Brigham Young 1973 BS; McGeorge 1977 JD  
 Began Service: 1987  
 Term Expires: December 14, 2011

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Merlyn Hoyt, Nevada District Court (1977-1978)

**Government:** District Attorney, State of Nevada (1979-1984); Assistant United States Attorney, District of Nevada, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1984-1987)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1978-1982)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1967-1970)

**Current Memberships:** Clark County Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Southwest Oral History Society; State Bar of Nevada; Ninth Judicial Circuit Historical Society, United States Courts of Appeals

**Staff**

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**Robert A. McQuaid, Jr.**  
 Magistrate Judge

Began Service: April 15, 1996  
 Term Expires: April 2012

**Staff**

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 Term Expires: August 2011  
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**Valerie P. Cooke**  
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
 Education: Nevada (Reno) 1976 BA; Northwestern 1983 JD  
 Began Service: November 1, 1999  
 Term Expires: November 1, 2014

**Academic:** Teacher, Sacred Heart Academy (1976-1979); Teacher, Reno High School (1979-1980)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable William N. Forman, Second Judicial District Court, Nevada (1983-1984)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Guild & Hagen, Ltd. (1984-1994); Attorney, McDonald Carano Wilson, LLP (1995-1999)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Magistrate Judges Association; State Bar of Nevada; Washoe County Bar Association

**Staff**

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**Peggy A. Leen**  
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1954  
 Education: Nevada (Las Vegas) 1976 BA; San Diego 1979 JD  
 Began Service: January 16, 2001  
 Term Expires: January 16, 2017

**Government:** Law Clerk and Deputy Public Defender, Office of the Public Defender, County of Clark, Nevada (1976-1981); Clark County District Attorney's Office, Criminal Division, Major Violators Unit (1996-1999); Clark County District Attorney's Office, Civil Division (1999-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Thorndal, Backus, Maupin & Armstrong

**Current Memberships:** American College of Trial Lawyers; International Academy of Trial Lawyers; International Society of Barristers

**Staff**

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**George W. Foley, Jr.**  
 Magistrate Judge

Began Service: August 2005

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